

**TABLE 6. NUMBER OF ANIMALS USED BY RESEARCH FROM THE FIRST REPORTING YEAR (1973) TO THE PRESENT**

FY	Dogs	Cats	Primates	Guinea pigs	Hamsters	Rabbits	Farm animals	Other covered animals <sup>1</sup>	Totals
1973	196,157	66,195	42,298	408,970	454,986	447,570		38,169	<sup>2</sup> 1,653,345
1974	199,204	74,259	51,253	430,439	430,766	425,585		81,021	1,692,527
1975	154,489	51,439	36,202	436,446	456,031	448,530		42,523	<sup>2</sup> 1,625,660
1976	210,330	70,468	50,115	486,310	503,590	527,551		73,736	<sup>2</sup> 1,922,100
1977	176,430	62,311	53,116	348,741	393,533	439,003		46,535	<sup>2</sup> 1,519,669
1978	197,010	65,929	57,009	419,341	414,394	475,162		58,356	1,687,201
1979	211,104	69,103	59,359	457,134	419,504	539,594		76,247	1,832,045
1980	188,783	68,482	56,024	422,390	405,826	471,297		49,102	1,661,904
1981	188,649	58,090	57,515	432,632	397,522	473,922		50,111	<sup>2</sup> 1,658,441
1982	161,396	49,923	46,388	459,246	337,790	453,506		69,043	<sup>2</sup> 1,577,292
1983	174,542	53,344	54,926	485,048	337,023	466,810		108,549	1,680,242
1984	201,936	56,910	55,338	561,184	437,123	529,101		232,541	2,074,133
1985	194,905	59,211	57,271	598,903	414,460	544,621		284,416	2,153,787
1986	176,141	54,125	48,540	462,699	370,655	521,773		144,470	1,778,403
1987	180,169	50,145	61,392	538,998	416,002	554,385		168,032	1,969,123
1988	140,471	42,271	51,641	431,457	331,945	459,254		178,249	1,635,288
1989	156,443	50,812	51,688	481,712	389,042	471,037		153,722	1,754,456
1990	109,992	33,700	47,177	352,627	311,068	399,264	<sup>3</sup> 66,702	<sup>3</sup> 257,569	1,578,099
1991	107,908	34,613	42,620	378,582	304,207	396,046	214,759	363,685	1,842,420
1992	124,161	38,592	55,105	375,063	369,585	431,432	210,936	529,308	2,134,182
1993	106,191	33,991	49,561	392,138	318,268	426,501	<sup>4</sup> 165,416	<sup>4</sup> 212,309	<sup>4</sup> 1,704,505
1994	101,090	32,610	55,113	360,184	298,934	393,751	180,667	202,300	1,624,649
1995	89,420	29,569	50,206	333,379	248,402	354,076	163,985	126,426	1,395,463
1996	82,454	26,035	52,327	299,011	246,415	338,574	154,344	146,579	1,345,739
1997	75,429	26,091	56,381	272,797	217,079	309,322	159,742	150,987	1,267,828

<sup>1</sup>This category includes other covered species not specifically stated in the regulations, such as bears, armadillos, squirrels, wild rodents, etc. It does not include noncovered species, such as rats and mice bred for laboratory use, frogs, lizards, birds, etc.

<sup>2</sup>These numbers reflect minor corrections from what was reported in the original annual reports of enforcement for the specified fiscal years.

<sup>3</sup>Traditional farm animals used for research purposes have been reported only since 1990. Also, beginning in 1990, the category of "Wild Animal" was renamed to "Other Animal."

<sup>4</sup>These numbers have been corrected from what was reported in the annual report of enforcement for FY 1993. The reported numbers were: Farm animals (365,233); Other animals (677,556); and Total (2,369,439). The error was due to the inadvertent counting of noncovered species in these categories.